

**Amendment No. 8 to HB2501**

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Signature of Sponsor**

**AMEND Senate Bill No. 2596**

**House Bill No. 2501\***

by adding the following new item in SECTION 49:

Item 1.

Notwithstanding any provision of this act to the contrary, the first \$40,000,000 collected between April 9, 2014 and June 30, 2015, and deposited in the general fund that is dedicated to the payment of the shortfall in the 2014-2015 budget, is hereby appropriated to the Department of Finance and Administration to provide:

(1) A one percent (1%) across-the-board salary increase for each full time state employee and to adjust the appropriate salary ranges in a like manner; provided, that the salary increase is not applicable to employees in positions which come under the provisions of a statutorily mandated pay plan; provided, further, however, that employees who come under the provision of a statutorily mandated plan shall be paid in accordance with the provisions of such plan;

(2) A one percent (1%) across-the-board salary increase for all teachers employed by any LEA; provided, that salary increases for teachers under this item shall be limited to instructional positions generated through the Basic Education Program for each local education agency; and

(3) A one percent (1%) salary improvement for the survey portion of the commissioned officer pay plan in the Department of Safety and the Tennessee Law Enforcement Training Academy as referenced in Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 4-7-205.